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In re Application of :
Jose Walter :
Application No. 09/909,893 :
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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed on February 12, 2007, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The application became abandoned on August 19, 2003, as a result of petitioners' failure to file an appeal brief (and fee required by 37 CFR 41.20(b)(2)) within two (2) months of the Notice of Appeal filed on June 18, 2003 (certificate of mailing dated June 16, 2003). The Office mailed a Notice of Abandonment on February 24, 2004.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has submitted (1) the reply in the form of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) (and fee) and a previously filed submission required by 37 CFR 1.114; (2) the petition fee; and (3) a proper statement of unintentional delay.

This application is being referred to Technology Center AU 3732 for processing of the RCE and for appropriate action by the Examiner in the normal course of business on the amendment submitted in accordance with 37 CFR 1.114.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3211.

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